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Adults with Disabilities Domestic Abuse Program



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The Mission of the Domestic Abuse Program:

- To investigate allegations of abuse, neglect or financial exploitation.
- To prevent, reduce and eliminate abuse, neglect and financial exploitation of adults with disabilities.
- To facilitate services and remedies to provide immediate and effective assistance and protection.
- Encourage and support the efforts of law enforcement to provide immediate, effective assistance and protection to adults with disabilities who are abused, neglected or financially exploited.
- To make referrals to appropriate social service agencies.

The adult with a disability who may be the victim of abuse, neglect or financial exploitation must:

- Be between the ages of 18 and 59
- Reside in a domestic living situation
- Have a physical, mental or developmental disability
- Reside within the State of Illinois

If you call the Office of Inspector General Hotline, you should be prepared to provide most of the following information:

- Name, address and phone number of the alleged victim and perpetrator
- Nature of the abuse, neglect or exploitation
- Time, date and location of the incident
- Your name, address and phone number
- Any other helpful information

Your identity will not be disclosed unless you consent to disclose it, or a court order requires disclosure.

If you have reasonable
cause to believe that an
adult with a disability
has been abused,
neglected or financially
exploited, you may
report it to the Office of
the Inspector General.

Toll Free:
1-800-368-1463
(caller may remain
anonymous)

You may report abuse, neglect
or financial exploitation of an
adult with a disability by
calling the Office of the
Inspector General at this
toll-free number.

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The Office of Inspector General's
Domestic Abuse Program has offices and
staff throughout the State of Illinois.



Programs, activities and employment opportunities in the Illinois Department of Human Services are open and accessible to any individual or group without regard to age, sex, race, sexual orientation, disability, ethnic origin or religion. The department is an equal opportunity employer and practices affirmative action and reasonable accommodation programs.